Rockville City Police Department
Police Crime Report
For the Week Ending – <u>September 4, 2016</u>

Tips of the Week:

The Rockville City Police Department would like to remind residents that you can decrease your chances of becoming a victim of identity theft by practicing these simple tips:

- *Be extremely cautious when handling and disclosing the following information:*
  - *Social Security Number*
  - *Mother's Maiden Name*
  - *Date of Birth*
  - *Current and Past Addresses*
  - *Driver's License Number*
  - *Credit Card Account Number*
  - *Personal Identification Number (PIN Codes)*
- *Never provide personal information over the phone, unless you have initiated the phone call.*
- *Never leave outgoing checks or paid bills in your residential mailbox. Use a blue postal mailbox or your local post office.*
- *Limit the amount of information you carry in your wallet or purse by taking out the extra credit cards and ID's.*
- *Use a shredder prior to disposing of bank and credit card statements, cancelled checks, pre-approved credit card offers and any other financial or personal information.*
- *Cancel all unused credit cards and maintain a list of active cards and accounts.*
- *Open all bills promptly and check your accounts monthly.*
- *Be cautious of "shoulder surfers". Always shield your card pin numbers when entering them during a transaction.*
- *NEVER LEAVE TRANSACTION RECEIPTS BEHIND.*
- *NEVER WRITE DOWN PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS (PINS) OR PASSWORDS. MEMORIZE THEM.*
- *Order a copy of your credit report at least once a year from each of the 3 major credit bureaus.*
      Equifax 1-800-685-1111 (www.equifax.com)
      Experian 1-888-397-3742 (www.experian.com)
      Transunion 1-800-888-4213 (www.transunion.com)

Help us help you, by staying safe and not becoming a victim.

City Police Reported Incidents

A weekly Crime Report of serious incidents is provided by the Rockville City Police Department to serve as an overview of incidents occurring within the City Limits of Rockville. Please note that this summary does not reflect every reported incident that has occurred. Also the words "arrested" and "charged" do not imply guilt.

A R R E S T S

On 08/28/16 a male, age 26, was arrested for fraud, obstruction and hindering following an incident in the 16000 block of Shady Grove Road.

I N C I D E N T S

1000 block of Grand Champion Drive, complainant advised sometime between 08/25/16-08/26/16 two longboard skateboards were taken from an open garage. No other items taken and no suspect information.

1500 block of Rockville Pike, complainant advised that on 08/31/16 at 5:00 a.m. while walking from the parking garage, a subject approached her, displayed a handgun and struck her several times in the head. The subject fled the area without obtaining any property. The victim was transported to a local hospital for treatment. The suspect is described as:

Black male, approximately 6"0, 170 pounds, brown eyes, black hair.
Last Seen Wearing: black pants, black shirt and a black knit hat.

500 block of Pinewood Road, complainant advised he was woken up around 3:00 a.m. on 08/31/16 to the sound of his vehicle's car alarm. He later discovered the vehicle was left unlocked and had been ransacked by an unknown subject. $10.00 in coins was taken.

600 block of Longwood Drive, complainant advised sometime between the hours of 7:00 p.m. on 08/30/16 and 7:00 a.m. on 08/31/16 an unknown subject opened her vehicle's driver's side door, glove box and coin jar open and removed coins.

200 block of Congressional Lane, complainant advised his Suzuki GSXR motorcycle had been taken while parked in the parking lot by an unknown subject sometime on 09/01/16.

600 Oak Knoll Terrace, complainant advised that during the evening of 08/31/16 to the early morning hours of 09/01/16 the complainant's garage was left open and an unknown subject ransacked the vehicle parked inside. A total of $150.00 in currency was obtained.

14000 Shady Grove Road, between the hours of 9:48 p.m. and 9:57 p.m. on 09/01/16 the complainant parked her vehicle. Upon returning from shopping, the complainant discovered her vehicle's side window shattered and a cellular phone taken. A witness saw the suspect flee the area on foot. The suspect is described as:

Unknown race male, last seen wearing: black pants, black shirt and red hat.

200 block of Rockville Pike on 09/03/16 at approximately 1:24 a.m. complainant advised exiting the Metro Station where he was accosted an unknown suspect accusing him of stealing his cell phone. As the complainant began to walk away, the suspect tackled him to the ground and attempted to take his cell phone from his pocket. The complainant was able to flee the scene and contact police. The suspect was apprehended a short distance away by police and transported to a local hospital for evaluation.

Unit block of Owens Court, on 09/03/16 complainant advised returning home to discover sometime between 08/31/16 at 8:15 a.m. and 09/03/16 at 4:45 p.m. his home had been burglarized by an unknown subject. A rear window of the residence was forcibly opened with damage to the lock. Jewelry and other items were taken.

800 block of Crothers Lane, sometime between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:17 p.m. on 09/02/16 the complainant discovered an unknown person forced open the side door to the residence and stole several items to include video games, laptops, jewelry, and an iPad.

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